

Senate File 47

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to reporting requirements for a candidate's
2 committee of a candidate for city office, school board, or any
3 other political subdivision office except for county office.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
5 TLSB 1558SS 82
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1 1 Section 1. Section 68A.402, subsection 3, Code 2007, is
1 2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:
1 3 NEW PARAGRAPH. c. COLLECTIONS ABOVE ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.
1 4 If a candidate's committee of a candidate for city office has
1 5 collected more than one thousand dollars, the committee shall
1 6 file a report in an election year as follows:
1 7 Report due: Covering period:
1 8 Fourteen days Date of initial activity
1 9 before primary through nineteen days
1 10 election before primary election
1 11 Fourteen days Eighteen days before primary
1 12 before general election through nineteen
1 13 election days before general election
1 14 Fourteen days Eighteen days before the
1 15 before runoff general election through
1 16 election (if nineteen days before the
1 17 applicable) runoff election
1 18 January 19 (next Cutoff date from
1 19 calendar year) previously filed report
1 20 through December 31

1 21 Sec. 2. Section 68A.402, subsection 4, Code 2007, is
1 22 amended by adding the following new paragraph:
1 23 NEW PARAGRAPH. c. COLLECTIONS ABOVE ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.
1 24 A candidate's committee of a candidate for school board or any
1 25 other political subdivision office, except for county and city
1 26 office, that has collected more than one thousand dollars
1 27 shall file a report in an election year as follows:
1 28 Report due: Covering period:
1 29 Fourteen days Date of initial activity
1 30 before primary through nineteen days
1 31 election before primary election
1 32 Fourteen days Eighteen days before primary
1 33 before general election through nineteen
1 34 election days before general election
1 35 Fourteen days Eighteen days before the
2 1 before runoff general election through
2 2 election (if nineteen days before the
2 3 applicable) runoff election
2 4 January 19 (next Cutoff date from
2 5 calendar year) previously filed report
2 6 through December 31

EXPLANATION

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2 8 This bill increases the time for reporting collections from
2 9 five to 14 days before a primary, general, or runoff election
2 10 for a candidate's committee of a candidate for city office,
2 11 school board or any other political subdivision office which
2 12 has raised more than \$1,000. This new reporting requirement
2 13 does not apply to county offices.
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